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Application No.: 10/649,164
Examiner: Len Tran
Invention: "Aluminum Ingot Casting Machine"

Filing Date: August 27, 2003
Group Art Unit: 1725

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment with Transmittal Letter and Petition for Extension of Time in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small Entity Status is asserted for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27 is enclosed.
☐ No additional fee is required.
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Indep.	<u>2</u>	<u>- 3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	x \$ 44.00	x \$ 88.00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim/s				+ \$150.00	+ \$300.00	
				TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE		\$ 0

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$1,020.00 is enclosed for a three month Petition for Extension of Time.
☒ The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. An original and two copies of this Transmittal are enclosed.
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August 1, 2005
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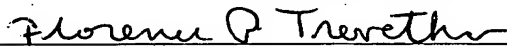
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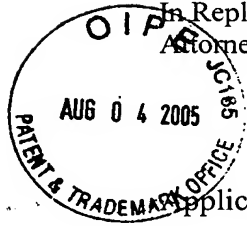
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of February 1, 2005, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks together with a three-month Petition for Extension of Time and the required fee.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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